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BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' MEETING THIRD FLOOR MEETING ROOM, WINCHESTER HALL TUESDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2012 – 7:00 P.M.

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- I. Call to Order by President
- II. Invocation
- III. Pledge of Allegiance

IV. PUBLIC HEARING

A. <u>Frederick County's Proposed</u> 2013 Legislative Package – John Mathias, Office of the County Attorney and Ragen Cherney, Office of the County Manager

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Legislative Items:

- 1. Permitting Video Lottery Terminals (Slots) for Local Charitable Organizations.
- 2. Frederick County Raffles.
- 3. Ethics Former Local Government Officials and Employees.
- 4. Maryland Constitution Congressional Districts Requirements as to Territory, Form and Boundaries.
- 5. Removal of Census Cap on Amount of Liquor Licenses in Frederick County.
- 6. Repeal or Modify Mandatory Stormwater Management Fee.
- 7. Permitting Tax Rebate to All Frederick County Properties.
- 8. Amending Grading Erosion and Sediment Control Standards.
- 9. Repeal of the Scooter/Moped Helmet Mandate.
- 10. Permitting Deer Hunting on Private Property in Certain Areas in Frederick County.
- 11. Repeal of Mandatory Provisions of Davis-Bacon and Minority Business Enterprise as a Pilot Program to Build One Elementary School to Compare Costs in Frederick County.
- 12. Amending State Law to Provide Public Safety Agencies in Frederick County Authorization to Operate All Terrain Vehicles (ATV) and Utility Terrain Vehicles (UTV) Under Certain Circumstances.
- 13. Requiring a Frederick County Voter to Show Proof of Identity in Order to Vote in the 2014 Elections.
- 14. Exempting Frederick County Public Schools from the State Forest Resource Ordinance Requirement.
- Authorization for Non-Corporate Owned Stores to Sell Beer and Wine in Frederick County.
- 16. Request for Authority for Board of County Commissioners to Ban Synthetic Drugs in Frederick County.

Position Statements:

- School Construction Funding for Frederick County Should Exceed Business Economic Assistance.
- 2. Frederick County Public Schools Authority to Count and Report Undocumented Students.
- 3. Maryland to be a "Shall Issue" State for a Right to Carry a Firearm.
- 4. Reinstatement of Highway User Revenues to Local Governments.

- 5. United States Constitutional Convention to Address Citizenship and Immigration Issues.
- 6. Maryland Partial Birth Abortion Ban Act.
- 7. Constitutional Amendment to Prohibit "Economic Development" Takings.
- 8. Cooperative Enforcement of Federal Immigration Laws Throughout Maryland.
- 9. Negative Impact of the New State Stormwater Regulations to Local Government.
- 10. Repeal or Modifications of the Work Place Fraud Act of 2009 (SB 909).
- 11. Reduction or Sunsetting on Unemployment Insurance Fees on Businesses.
- 12. Opposition to PlanMaryland.
- 13. Opposition to Mandated State Septic Regulations on Local Governments.
- 14. Supporting the Revision of Maryland's Tangible Personal Property Tax.
- 15. Opposition to a Gas Tax Increase.
- 16. Supporting the Modification of Maintenance of Effort Funding Requirements.

Public comments will be limited to five (5) minutes.

The Board will finalize the legislative package on Thursday, October 25 and Thursday, November 1, 2012.

V. PUBLIC COMMENTS AND/OR REQUESTS

It is the policy of the Board of County Commissioners to permit public comments and/or requests at this time with comments being limited to five (5) minutes per person. Personnel matters are confidential and cannot be received through this kind of forum.

VI. **ADJOURNMENT**

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The meeting will be rebroadcast on channel 19 and citizens are encouraged to check the county's website (www.FrederickCountyMD.gov) for the dates and times.

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